

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Eric Andrew Beard)	
)	Group Art Unit: 2626
Application No.: 09/456,652)	•
••)	Examiner: Wallerson, Mark E.
Filed: December 8, 1999)	
)	Confirmation No.: RECEIVED
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C. 999 Peachtree Street Suite 1000 Atlanta, GA 30309

November 13, 2003

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

X	One Month	\$110.00	(\$ 55.00)*
	Two Months	\$400.00	(\$200.00)*
	Three Months	\$920.00	(\$460.00)*
	Four Months	\$1,440.00	(\$720.00)*
	Five Months	\$1,960.00	(\$980.00)*

^{*} Small Entity

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A Credit Card Payment Authorization Form PTO-2038 for payment in the amount of \$218.00 is attached (\$110.00 of which is for the one-month extension-of-time fee). This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

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Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence and any items indicated as attached or included are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated below.

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Date